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FM AMEMBASSY PRAGUE

TO AMEMBASSY VIENNA

INFO SECSTATE WASHDC 5217

AMEMBASSY KUALA LUMPUR

C O N F I D E N T I A L PRAGUE 2374

E.O. 11652: GDS, DECLASSIFY 1/1/74

TAGS: PNR, APER

SUBJ: AUSTRIAN AMBASSADOR-DESIGNATE TO MALAYSIA

1. KLAUS ZIEGLER, DCM AT AUSTRIAN LEGATION IN PRAGUE LAST FOUR YEARS, HAS BEEN NAMED FIRST AUSTRIAN AMBASSADOR TO MALAYSIA. AGREEMENT HAS STILL NOT BEEN RECEIVED BUT ZIEGLER'S SUCCESSOR HAS ARRIVED HERE, AND DESPITE RECALL OF AUSTRIAN MINISTER FOR CONSULTATIONS ZIEGLER PLANS TO LEAVE PRAGUE END OF THIS WEEK FOR VIENNA. HE HOPES TO PROCEED TO KUALA LUMPUR WITHIN SEVERAL WEEKS.
2. ZIEGLER WOULD BE VERY GRATEFUL FOR CHANCE TO READ OUR KUALA LUMPUR POST REPORT (NOT AVAILABLE PRAGUE) AND WILL PROBABLY CALL MOWINCKEL ABOUT THIS.
3. ZIEGLER IS INTELLIGENT, FRIENDLY MAN IN HIS FORTIES WHO HAS BEEN ON EXCELLENT TERMS WITH MEMBERS OF OUR EMBASSY HERE. PREVIOUS EXPERIENCE INCLUDES TOURS IN INDIA AND JAPAN. WIFE HELGA IS ACCOMPLISHED SINGER WHO HAS GIVEN PUBLIC CONCERTS IN PRAGUE. BOTH SPEAK FLUENT ENGLISH AND FRENCH.  
WORTZEL

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